

27 October 2018

Dear Toni,

Despite our last conversation I pray that you are doing well. I would like to take this time to rectify this/our situation. Therefore, I have included with this letter information that you and your team should review. It is my hope that "You" will take the time to read over what I've prepared before forwarding this information to your team. Please note that I was hoping to have done this with your team in preparing a response to OIG report findings. Please note I have no intention of embarrassing you. However, I do have a right to defend my character, integrity and professionalism. Consequently, I feel that Cook County response to the ^{OIG} recommendation that I was negligent is unfair and unsupported by the record in this matter. Please understand that I have no intention of embarrassing you! Toni, the truth is that I care very much about you!

On Wednesday, Oct. 17, I related to you during our phone conversation that I'm willing to take discipline and training that was recommended as the County's response to the OIG report although I feel its unwarranted. ^(Interestingly) It was also related by Lanetta (Chaf of Staff) that I declined a two week suspension which was presented to me. This is absolutely untrue! This entire situation has had an adverse affect on my health, character, ^{and} integrity. In addition, this
(on back)

can ruin my career. This has ~~also~~ ^{also} had a negative
effect on my wife and kids. I pray that you'll reconsider
your action of wanting me to resign.

To conclude, I have known you for twenty years
and have served you ~~the~~ ^{for the} past almost eight years
with dignity, professionalism and integrity. It
is also my prayer that you would allow me
to continue to serve you as Chief of Executive Protection.
Please don't hesitate to call me to discuss this matter further.

In Christ,

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